Statement

Statement of Statewise Cast related incidents for the year 1996 and first quarter of 1997

S. No.	Name of the State	Number of Incidents (Ist Quarter)		Number of death (Ist Quarter)		Number of Persons injured (Ist Quarter)	
		1996	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997
1.	Andhra Pradesh	10	4	4	—	27	21
2.	Bihar	132	39	72	21	177	15
3.	Delhi	1	—	—	—	7	—
4.	Gujarat	13	4	4	2	36	8
5.	Haryana	3	—	2	—	28	—
6.	Himachal Pradesh	1	—	—	—	1	—
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	1	—	—	—	—	—
8.	Karnataka	17	2	2	1	84	7
9.	Kerala	2	—	1	—	—	—
10.	Madhya Pradesh	13	1	5	1	18	—
11.	Maharashtra	61	9	4	2	51	11
12.	Orissa	8	3	2	—	21	14
13.	Punjab	2	—	—	—	20	—
14.	Rajasthan	33	2	8	—	56	2
15.	Tamilnadu	282	41	57	4	744	112
16.	Uttar Pradesh	93	43	43	36	112	65
17.	West Bengal	—	—	—	—	—	—
	TOTAL	672	148	204	67	1382	255

Structural Reforms for the Police

3406. SHRI MD. SALIM:
SHRI NILOTPAL BASU:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the reasons for not taking steps to reform the Indian police structurally as it still has to work under the conditions laid down by a colonial enactment of 1891;

(b) whether Government consider that the police have to change their ethos from enforcement to enablement and function as social workers in uniform; and

(c) if so, the steps Government propose to take in this direction?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR): (a) to (c) Police is a State subject as per the Seventh Schedule of the Constitution of India. It is primarily for the State Governments to take necessary steps to restructure their police force and reform its functioning. After Independence, some State Governments have enacted their own Police Acts.

Review of TADA Cases

3407. SHRI RAJUBHAI A. PARMAR:
SHRI MOHD. MASUD KHAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken and progress made in the review of cases of TADA detenues